

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES - Revenue Department - Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar, Vinakonda Mandal, Guntur District - Committed certain irregularities in allotting an extent of land measuring Ac.0.27 cents in Sy.No.824/12 of Thimmayapalem village of Vinukonda Mandal to Gosamrakshana Samithi - Disciplinary proceedings - Enquiry conducted - Representation - Dropping of further action - Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE - II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 478

Dated: 28-04-2014.

Read the following

1. Charge Memo Rc. No. 728/2011-A4, Dated: 12.3.2011 issued by the Dist. Collector, Guntur.
2. From Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar, Vinukonda, dt: 26.3.2011.
3. From the RDO, Guntur & Inquiry Officer, Letter Rc. No. 3552/2011-D, dated: 3.11.2011.
4. From the CCLA, Letter No. VSIII(1)/I(3)/160/2011, Dt:26.9.2012.
5. Govt. Memo No.42967/Vig. II(1)/2012-2, Dt: 2.7.2013.
6. From Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar (Retired), Vinukonda Mandal, Guntur Dist., representation, dt:21.1.2014.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Collector, Guntur District has framed charges against Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar (Retired), Vinukonda Mandal for committing certain irregularities in allotting an extent of land measuring Ac.0.27 cents in Sy.No.824/12 of Thimmayapalem village of Vinukonda Mandal to Gosamrakshana Samithi, without following due procedure; with a direction to submit his written statement of defence. The Charged Officer has submitted his defence statement and the District Collector, Guntur appointed the Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur as Enquiry Officer. Accordingly, the Inquiry Officer, after conducting field inspection on 21.9.2011, has furnished inquiry report, wherein the Inquiring Authority has mentioned that "a notice board erected in the site that the land belongs to Government" and held that allotting the land in question without following the due procedure is failure on the part of Charged Officer and staff.

2. In the reference 4th read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration has referred the matter along with record of inquiry to Government for taking further action under A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, stating that Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar retired from service on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.6.2012.

3. In the reference 5th read above, Government have furnished a copy of enquiry report to Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar (Retd.) for his representation on the findings of Enquiry report.

4. In the reference 6th read above, Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar (Retired) has submitted a representation stating that based on the recommendations made by Village Revenue Officer, Mandal Revenue Inspector and Mandal Surveyor, he issued temporary permission on 4.1.2010 for the use of shelter to the Cows only and later the same was cancelled by himself on 9.12.2010. The land was resumed to Government and requested to drop further action in the matter.

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5. Government have examined the matter and observe that there is a clear procedural irregularity involved in the case without any corruption angle. The land in question was resumed by Government as evident from the field inspection conducted by the Inquiry Officer on 21.9.2011.

6. Having regard to the facts and the circumstances of the case, Government, hereby let off Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar (Retd.), Tahsildar (Retired) in the case.

7. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration is requested to take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.P. SINGH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Hyderabad.
The Collector, Guntur District.
Sri S. Venkaiah, Tahsildar (Retd.), Guntur District.
through the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Hyderabad.
Copy to:
The Accountant General, AP, Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, AP, Hyderabad.
The PS to Principal Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Revenue (Ser.III) Department.
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SECTION OFFICER